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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

The enclosed Amendment is in response to the final Office Action dated November 17, 2005, for the above identified patent application. A Petition for a 1-month extension of time, and a Notice of Appeal are enclosed herewith.

Please change the Attorney Docket Number of the above-captioned application from 06632/011001 to **9529-009-999**.

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**Remarks** beginning on page 4.